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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

In Re

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Amendment Of Section 73.202(b), )  
Table of Allotments )  
FM Broadcast Stations )  
(Essex and Needles, California )

MM Docket 92-194  
RM-8052

To: Mass Media Bureau

REPLY COMMENTS

David A. Petrik, by his attorneys, hereby submits his Reply Comments in the above-captioned proceeding, stating as follows:

In his October 30, 1992 Comments and Counterproposal, Petrik opposed the allotment of Channel 280B to Essex, California, and proposed that such channel instead be allotted to the community of Needles, California. He pointed out that Needles is a growing geopolitical entity of over 5,000 persons which presumptively is entitled to the new service as a distinct and identifiable community. Its size and its inclusion in the U.S. Census, standing alone, support Petrik's view. Moreover, as shown by the attached relevant excerpts from publications by the Needles Chamber of Commerce, Needles has the economic, political, social and cultural indicia of a community which merits its own local broadcast outlets. (See Attachment A hereto.)

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Petrik's submission also showed that Essex has none of the characteristics which might warrant the conclusion that it is a community for allotment purposes. Reflecting its de minimis nature, it is not listed by the U.S. Census or other publication which would tend to presumptively establish that it is a community. Moreover, the petitioner, Dunes Broadcasting, has provided no information in either its July 13, 1992 Petition for Rulemaking or its October 23, 1992 Comments which would show that Essex is indeed a community for allotment purposes.

In this connection, David Petrik recently travelled to Essex and, as demonstrated by his attached Statement, has confirmed that Essex is by no means a "community" as that term is defined and used by the Commission. (See Attachment B hereto.) Thus, Petrik ascertained that Essex has none of the political, economic, social, cultural or religious indicia which would qualify it as a community. Indeed, it is barely an identifiable location, consisting of one combination cafe-gas station-towing service-junkyard, two other towing services, a garage for State highway maintenance vehicles, a school and a small post office. Most significant, Petrik found only one five-house compound and perhaps three other houses at that location, amidst miles of the rock, brush and cacti which surround it.

In sum, Essex is a mere geographic location with no meaningful population and none of the attributes which define a community.


Vimville, Mississippi, 48 FR 5974(1983); Trade, Tennessee, 6 FCC Rcd 5835 (MMB 1991); Aguila, Arizona, 6 FCC Rcd 4278 (MMB 1991); Columbia, California, 6 FCC Rcd 3292 (MMB 1991); Hannibal, Ohio, 6 FCC Rcd 2144 (MMB 1991).<sup>1</sup> Accordingly, the proposal to allot Channel 280B to Essex would have to be denied regardless of whether a counterproposal has been submitted.<sup>2</sup>

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that Channel 280B should be allotted to the community of Needles, California, and that, in any event, the channel should not be allotted to Essex, California.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> As stated in Aguila, Arizona and Columbia, California, the existence of a post office or school building will not, without more, establish that a location constitutes a community for allotment purposes.

<sup>2</sup> Although the Commission previously has allotted a channel to Essex, it may reverse its presumption that Essex is a community for purposes of this rulemaking proceeding, now that it has been provided with specific evidence that Essex is not in fact a community for allotment purposes. See Hannahs Mill, 7 FCC Rcd 3944 (MMB 1992) and East Hemet, 4 FCC Rcd 7895 (MMB 1989). In any event, that location clearly has no need for a second "competing service" in addition to the channel already allotted.

# Needles

BEST LITTLE TOWN ON THE COLORADO RIVER



# NEEDLES

## FACTS AND FIGURES

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### Location

- 23 miles from Laughlin
- 40 miles from Lake Havasu
- 60 miles from Parker
- 100 miles from Las Vegas
- 150 miles from Barstow

### Elevation

- 484 feet above sea level

### Size and Population

- 31 square miles
- 6,000 people

### Churches

- There are 18 churches of major faiths

### Police Department

- The City contracts with San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department for its services.
- In order to better serve the public there is a California Highway Patrol Station in Needles equipped with a drug detection dog.

### Fire Department

- Services are provided on a contract basis by the San Bernardino County Fire Warden.
- The Station Houses four fire trucks.
- The Fire Company is made up of dedicated men and women who are on a 24-hour immediate call to duty.

### Garbage

- Solid waste disposal is maintained twice weekly.

### Electricity & Water

- Electricity and water are made available to every lot in Needles by the Needles Electric & Water Services, a Department of the City.
- The City obtains wholesale electricity from Nevada Power.
- The City utilizes a portion of hydroelectric energy in order to ensure lower rates to its customers.

### Telephone & Cable

- Telephone services are provided by Alltel, through their local subsidiary, CP National.
- Cable service is provided by Cablevision of Needles, through their local subsidiary, CP National.
- There is approximately an 80% saturation of Cablevision services throughout the City.
- There are currently 21 basic cable channels, and 4 pay stations.

### Golf Course

- Needles is home to an 18-Hole Championship Golf Course, which features a clubhouse, pro shop, driving range, and electric carts.
- On staff is a full-time PGA Professional.
- Both individualized and group instruction are available.
- There are 14 golf courses in the surrounding area.

### Aquatics Center

- A full Aquatics Center is maintained by the Community Services Department.
- Features of the Aquatics Center include a 180-foot water slide, regulation pool, wading pool, water geysers, mist rain forest and snack bar.

### Parks & Recreation

- The City of Needles contains nine parks (Jack Smith Park is located on the Colorado River and contains a boat ramp), four tennis courts, one public library, one Aquatics Center and a full-service Recreation Center.

### Motel, RV Parks and Restaurants

- 22 motels/710 rooms.
- 5 RV parks.
- 17 restaurants.

### Colorado River

- The river provides recreation to the community by offering skiing, swimming, boating, fishing and various other water sports.
- The year-round temperature of the water fluctuates between 68 and 72 degrees.



The Mountain Peaks

# DIRECTORY

for Newcomers . . .



Prepared By:  
**CITY OF NEEDLES**  
 OFFICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION  
 1111 Bailey Avenue  
 P.O. Box 887  
 Needles, CA 92363  
 (619) 326-2113

## EMERGENCY - DIAL 911

**AIRLINES** ..... Needles Airport 326-5263  
 ..... Bullhead/Laughlin Airport (602) 754-3020  
**ANIMAL CONTROL/DOG LICENSES** .... 326-2117  
**ASSESSOR**  
 (Tuesday & Thursday, 8am-10am) ..... 326-3623  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, SAN BERNARDINO**  
**COUNTY, Marsha Turoci** ..... (800) 472-8597  
**BUILDING PERMITS** ..... 326-2113  
**BUILDING & SAFETY OFFICER** ..... 326-2113  
**BUS LINES, Greyhound/Trailways** ..... 326-5066  
**BUSINESS LICENSES, City Clerk** ..... 326-2113  
**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** ..... 326-2050  
**CITY CLERK** ..... 326-2113  
**CITY FINANCE DEPT.** ..... 326-2113  
**CITY MANAGER** ..... 326-2113  
**CITY TREASURER** ..... 326-2113  
**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPT.** .. 326-2113  
**DEPARTMENT OF**  
**MOTOR VEHICLES** ..... 326-3213  
**DEPARTMENT OF**  
**PUBLIC WORKS** ..... 326-4834/4889  
**NEEDLES ELECTRICAL SERVICE** ..... 326-5700  
**EMPLOYMENT/TRAINING**  
**Needles T.E.A.M.** ..... 326-5210

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

**Business** ..... 326-2833

**Emergency** ..... 326-2211

**GARBAGE** ..... 326-2113

**GAS, CP National** ..... 326-2141

**GOLF COURSE, CITY OF**

**NEEDLES MUNICIPAL** ..... 326-3931

## HEALTH

**Public Health Department** ..... 326-3012/4166

**Environmental Health** ..... 326-2015

**Health Nurse** ..... 326-3012

## HOSPITAL

**Needles-Desert Communities Hospital** .... 326-4531

**LIBRARY** ..... 326-2623

## NEWSPAPER

**Needles Desert Star** ..... 326-2222

**PARKS & RECREATION DEPT.** ..... 326-2814

## POLICE

**California Highway Patrol** ..... 326-2000

**Sheriff's Office** ..... 326-4515

**POST OFFICE** ..... 326-2612

**ZIP CODE - Needles - 92363**

**PUBLIC INFORMATION, DEPT. OF** ..... 326-2113

**SCHOOL REGISTRATION, Needles Unified**

**School District, Business Office** ..... 326-3891

**SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER** ..... 326-4789

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE

**SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY** ..... 326-4515

**SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE** ..... 326-2353

**SOCIAL SERVICES, Welfare Dept.** ..... 326-2431

## TAXES

**Treasurer/Tax Collector** ..... (714) 387-8308

**TAXI, Yellow Cab Co.** ..... 326-3999

**TELEPHONE, CP National** ..... 326-2141

**or Toll Free** ..... (916) 458-7651

## TELEVISION

**Cablevision of Needles** ..... 326-3336

## TOURISM-INFORMATION,

**OFFICE OF** ..... 326-2113

**VETERANS ADMINISTRATION** ..... 326-4266

**VOTER REGISTRATION** ..... Contact City Clerk

**WATER DEPARTMENT** ..... 326-2113

**"WHERE OPPORTUNITIES FOR BUSINESS &  
 LIVING COME TOGETHER"**

NEEDLES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
RELOCATION INFORMATION

\* EMPLOYMENT \*

MAJOR EMPLOYERS (NON-GOVERNMENT)

Santa Fe Railroad  
"J" St. Enterprises  
Bashas'  
Claypools  
So. Calif. Gas  
Pacific Gas & Electric  
Tri-State Truss  
Bank of America  
A-Block, Inc.

MAJOR EMPLOYERS (GOVERNMENT)

Needles Unified School Dist.  
City of Needles  
San Bernardino Co. Sheriff's Dept.  
Bureau of Land Management  
Calif. Highway Patrol  
Calif. Ag. Inspection Station

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

BANK OF AMERICA  
(619) 326-3803

AMERICAN SAVINGS BANK  
(619) 326-4561

DESERT COMMUNITIES FEDERAL  
CREDIT UNION  
(619) 326-2942

DRIVERS LICENSE AND VEHICLE REGISTRATION

A new resident to California has 10 days to renew their drivers license and 20 days to register their car in California. California does have a Mandatory Insurance Law.

DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES is located at 1040 E Broadway in the Bashas' Shopping Center. Their telephone number is (619) 326-3213.

NEWSPAPER                NEEDLES DESERT STAR    (619) 326-2222

SHOPPING - in NEEDLES

GROCERY STORES

Bashas'  
Thrifty's

DEPARTMENT STORES

Beno's  
Claypool's  
Sears (catalog mainly)

HARDWARE

Claypool's  
Homestead Supplies

FURNITURE

Irene's Furniture

NURSERY

Needles Four Season Nursey

Within 30 miles of Needles there is available:

ALBERTSONS, BARGAIN BASKET, SAFEWAY, SMITH'S, JC PENNEY, K-MART, MILLERS OUTPOST AND WAL-MART.

\*Source: City of Needles Economic Profile

SCHOOLS . NEEDLES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (619) 326-3891

PRESCHOOL Kid's Town  
1520 Fourth St.  
(619) 326-3638

ELEMENTARY	D Street School D St. and Cibola (619) 326-2177	Vista Colorado School Washington and Bailey (619) 326-2167	Grace Henderson School Broadway and Needles H (619) 326-2092
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MIDDLE SCHOOL Vista Colorado Intermediate  
Washington and Bailey  
(619) 326-3895

HIGH SCHOOL	Needles High School Washington and Bailey (619) 326-2191	Grace Henderson (Continuation) Broadway and Needles Hwy. (619) 326-2092
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MEDICAL

NEEDLES DESERT COMMUNITIES HOSPITAL  
1401 BAILEY AVE. (619) 326-4531

Managed by Samaritan Healthcare Systems, one of the largest multi-hospital systems in the Southwest. Modern 39 Bed hospital (53 bed capacity). Six physicians on staff with visiting specialists available. 24 Hour physician coverage of Emergency room. Full Service Department: Physical Therapy, Respiratory Therapy, Labotatory, Radiology, Ultrasound and Nuclear Medicine. Two operating suites for in-patient and out-patient procedures and operations.

PHYSICIANS Dr. M Samy El-Toukhy (Internal Medicine and Family Practice)  
1600 Bailey Ave. (619) 326-4581

Drs. John and Mary Janikowski (Family Practice)  
300 H St. (619) 326-2331

Dr. Robert Richardson (General Surgery and Family Practice)  
1402 Bailey Ave. (619) 326-5181

Dr. Bill Shepard (Obstetrics and Gynocology)  
121 F St. (619) 326-4522

DENTAL Dr. Douglas E. Kaylor  
1406 Bailey Ave.  
(619) 326-4541

Dr. Howard I Levitt  
641 Front St.  
(619) 326-2130

OPTOMETRISTS Dr. Bruce V Graff  
1406 Bailey Ave.  
(619) 326-2149



## UTILITIES

ELECTRIC - NEEDLES ELECTRIC & WATER CO.  
817 3rd St. (619) 326-5700  
• Deposit: \$100

GAS - SOUTHWEST GAS CORPORATION  
(800) 446-4642  
Deposit: \$50  
Connection fee: \$25

TELEPHONE- ALL-TEL  
(916) 458-7651 toll free  
Deposit: \$80 minimum  
Advance payment: \$50 (includes hook-up)  
1 Party Touch-Tone Basic Service - \$16.05 month

\* CABLE - CABLEVISION OF NEEDLES, INC.  
911 Broadway (619) 326-3336  
Installation: \$28 plus \$16.95 advance month paid  
Basic Service: \$16.95 month

WATER - NEEDLES ELECTRIC & WATER CO.  
817 3rd St. (619) 326-5700  
\$8.50 for 1st 1,000 Cubic Feet plus \$.49 per each additional  
100 Cubic Feet. Non-homeowner Deposit: \$100

TRASH - NEEDLES ELECTRIC & WATER CO.  
817 3rd St. (619) 326-5700  
\$11.25 a month - containers provided by City of Needles.

SEWER - NEEDLES ELECTRIC & WATER CO.  
817 3rd St. (619) 326-5700  
\$11.75 a month

\* CABLE CHANNELS PROVIDED AS BASIC SERVICE  
\*\*PREMIUM CHANNELS - Extra charge

\*WGN - Chicago  
\*WTBS - Atlanta  
\*WWOR - New York  
\*ESPN - Sports  
\*KMOH - Kingman  
\*CNN - News  
\*KTLA - Los Angeles Independent  
\*UNIVISION - Spanish  
\*NICKELODEON - Children  
\*NASHVILLE NETWORK - Country  
\*MTV - Music  
\*TNT - Movies  
\*TBN - Trinity Broadcasting

\* CBS - Phoenix  
\* ABC - Phoenix  
\* NBC - Phoenix  
\* KVVU - Las Vegas Independent  
\* KAET - PBS Phoenix  
\* KPHO - Independent Phoenix  
\* QVC - Home Shopping  
\* Community Programming  
\* USA - Variety Network  
\*\*Premium Channels  
\*\*HOME BOX OFFICE  
\*\*THE MOVIE CHANNEL  
\*\*PLAYBOY  
\*\*THE DISNEY CHANNEL

Deposits and Fees subject to change.

## BUSINESS GUIDE

AT&SF Railway	834 Front St.	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-5413
Bashas' Market	1010 E Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2099
(Better)	PO Box 488		
Better Mouse Trap	800 W Broadway #A	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4506
BLT Development	22711 Mandarin Ln	Coto De Gaza CA 93389	(714) 588-7767
Brian's Home Repair	516 California Ave	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4255
Bennetts & Son, Inc.	1615 Rainbow Dr	Bullhead AZ 86442	(602) 758-5480
Browder Photography	PO Box 266	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2067
Michael Burger CPA	244 G St	Needles Ca 92363	(619) 326-4386
CRV Soft Water	PO Box 383	Needles CA 92363	(602) 768-4200
City of Needles	PO Box 887	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2113
Claypool & Co.	725 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2109
Copy-All	10325 Barrackman Rd	Mohave Valley AZ 96440	(602) 768-4771
Cubs Liquor	614 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2911
Desert Refrigeration	533 Front St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4483
Double E Ranch	9566 Evans Ln	Mohave Valley AZ 86440	(602) 768-9319
Homestead Supplies Inc	117 N K St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2233
Jannetta's Ceramics	815 Front St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4991
Jensen-Carpenter Mortuary	222 E St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2323
Lee Chambers Petroleum	PO Box 856	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3851
Mohave Pipeline Oper. Co.	PO Box 10269	Bakersfield CA 92363	(805) 861-7300
Needles Point Liq. & Deli	1109 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4101
Needles Point Corp	1101 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2312
Needles Four Seasons Nursery	PO Box 551	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2551
Needles Redi-Mix/ A Block Co.	PO Box 983	Needles Ca 92363	(619) 326-2883
River Valley Air Con- ditioning	221 F St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3020
Rod's Market	2100 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3358
Sears(Sears)	923 Front St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4248
Sweeden Properties	824 Beach Dr.	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2001
Tri-Valley/Sno-Bird Inc.	1690 S Hwy 40	Heber UT 84032	(801) 654-0751
US Ecology	800 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4902
United Electric Supply	700 N K St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3220
Tri-State Refuse Disposal	PO Box 339	Bullhead City AZ 86442	(602) 758-0000

## DINING

Arturo's Pizza	819 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-9191
Carl's Jr.	2601 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4476
(Main office)	73-101 Hwy 111	Palm Desert CA 92260	(619) 341-2992
Chai's Cafe	941 Front St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3642
Hungry Bear Restaurant	1906 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2988
Kentucky Fried Chicken	1804 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3456
Overland Restaurant	710 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3268
Rita's Restaurant	1901 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2266
Valenzuela's Mexican & Pizza Shop	1400 River Rd Pl #103	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-5621

Best Motel	1900 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3824
Colorado Belle	PO Box 77000	Laughlin NV 89028	(702) 298-4000
Colorado River Inn (BW)	2371 Needles Hwy	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4552
Days Inn	PO Box 3404	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-5660
Imperial 400 Motel	644 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2145
Kiva Motel	2104 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2212
Overland Motel (BW)	712 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3821
Easy Inn	1102 E Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4501
River Valley Motor Lodge	1707 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3839
Stardust Motel	2208 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4445
Travelers INN	1195 3RD St Hill	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4900
Chalet Lodge	2306 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3811

## ORGANIZATIONS

### **Business & Professional**

Women's Club	PO Box 341	Needles CA 92363	
FOE #2599	729 Front St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2599
Friends of the Library	1111 Bailey Ave	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2623
Ft Mojave Tribal Council	500 Merriman	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4591
High Desert Cattlemen Assoc.	PO Box 8	Essex CA 92232	(619) 326-2920
Jobs Daughters Ret 105	2000 Luna Vista	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3564
Kiwanis Club	PO Box 646	Needles CA 92363	
Mohave Valley Chamber of Commerce	PO Box 9101	Mohave Valley AZ 86427	(602) 768-2777
Mohave Valley Riding Club	PO Box 5259	Mohave Valley AZ 86440	
Needles Regional Museum Assoc.	PO Box 978	Needles CA 92363	
Needles Rotary	PO Box 535	Needles CA 92363	
Senior Citizen Center	1030 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4789
Soroptimist International	PO Box 903	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3377
Vet. of Foreign Wars	PO Box 90	Needles CA 92363	
Women's Club of Needles	PO Box 1177	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3241

## PUBLICATIONS

"Footprints"	PO Box 22	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2892
Fronteer Directory	7819 E Greenway #4	Scottsdale AZ 85360	(800) 325-7587
James News Agency	PO Box 176	Needles CA 92363	(602) 768-4487
Laughlin Publishing	PO Box 29909	Laughlin NV 89029	(702) 298-6090
Needles Desert Star	PO Box 427	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2222

## REAL ESTATE

CRYSTAL RIVER RE	PO Box 223	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2774
	1314 W Broadway		
ERC Investments	304 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3523
Green Valley RE	PO Box 5618	Mohave Valley AZ 86440	(619) 326-5996
Kaylor Kompany	107 F St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4641
McMillin Communities	PO Box 19016	National City CA 92052	
Mohave Valley Property Management	PO Box 1128	Mohave Valley AZ 86440	(619) 326-3211
PR Porter & Sons	PO Box 153	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3325
Spikes Real Estate	PO Box 946	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3819
	244 G St		

# NEEDLES

## Chamber of Commerce

### LOCAL HOUSING INFORMATION

#### REALTORS

KAYLOR KOMPANY  
107 "F" St.  
(619) 326-4641

SPIKES REAL ESTATE  
244 "G" St.  
(619) 326-3819

CRYSTAL RIVER  
1314 W Broadway  
(619) 326-2774

GREEN VALLEY  
8550 S Hwy 95 or  
1400 River Rd,  
Needles (602) 768-  
9101 or (619) 326-  
5996 or (800) 251-  
4663, EXT. 440

#### RENTAL AGENCIES

MOHAVE VALLEY PROPERTY MANAGEMENT  
244 "G" St.  
(619) 326-3211 or (602) 768-3201

ERC INVESTMENTS  
304 W Broadway  
(619) 326-3523

#### \* APARTMENTS

CORONADO APARTMENTS  
1017 Coronado  
(619) 326-3303  
1 and 2 Bedrooms  
\$400 - \$480 month  
Deposit \$260 - \$325  
W/S/T Paid

ERIN MANOR  
1932 Erin Dr.  
(619) 326- 3144  
1 and 2 Bedrooms  
\$355 - \$405 month  
Deposit \$200  
W/S/T Paid

MT. VIEW TERRACE APTS.  
1501 Lily Hill Dr.  
(619) 326- 4813  
1 and 2 Bedrooms, 1 and 2 baths  
\$385 - \$490  
Deposit \$200  
W/S/T Paid

RIVERVIEW TERRACE  
1933 Erin Drive  
(619) 326-4800

LILY HILL APTS.  
1001 Lily Hill Dr.  
(619) 326-2433  
1, 2, & 3 Bedrooms  
Rent & Deposit based  
on 30% of families ad-  
justed income. Hous-  
ing Assistance Payments  
are provided by the  
Dept of Housing &  
Urban Development  
W/S/T Paid Waiting list.

MESA GRANDE APTS.  
1600 Lily Hill Dr.  
(619) 326-2404  
62 yrs. and/or handicapped  
Rental range: \$298 w/rental  
assistance available to those  
who qualify. 1st come, 1st  
served basis according to income  
level. Low income applications  
given 1st priority. W/S/T Paid  
Waiting list.

#### HOUSING

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF CITY OF NEEDLES  
908 Sycamore (619) 326-3222

PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT.  
1300 Bailey Ave. (619) 326-2431

#### NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS IN NEEDLES

"RUSTIC ACRES"  
PR Porter and Sons  
2209 Casa Linda St.  
(619) 326-3325/4641 (Kaylor Ko.)  
3 and 4 Bedrooms 1500-2000 Sq. Ft.  
\$88,000 - \$130,000

"PORTOBELLO on the RIVER"  
Kahala Development Corp.  
Contact any of our local Real Estate Cos.  
Townhouses located on the Colorado River  
or on the Needles Municipal Golf Course.

\* RENTS AND DEPOSITS are subject to change.

# NEEDLES

## Chamber of Commerce

### MEMBERSHIP

#### APPRAISALS

Cochran Appraisal	230 Victory	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3451
John Squibb	PO Box 6777	Mohave Valley AZ 86440	(602) 768-9668

#### ATTORNEYS AT LAW

J Brian Campbell	1406 Bailey Ave.	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-5200
	PO Box 3069		
Ralph George, Jr.	121 F St.	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2660
	PO Box 299		

#### AUTOMOTIVE

Aston Martin Sve. Needles Inc.	111 Victory	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3131
Chevron Sve. of Needles	2205 W Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2851
Harris Motors	103 Goodwill	Needles Ca 92363	(619) 326-3096
J B's Auto Center	949 Broadway	Needles Ca 92363	(619) 326-3885
L J Motors	2204 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3834
Ron Ray Ford/Mercury	PO Box 425	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2175

#### BANKING

American Savings	PO Box 365	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4561
Bank of America	PO Box 857	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3803
Desert Communities	PO Box 918	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2942
Federal Credit Union			

#### BEAUTY

Hair Tech Salon & Boutiq	1400 River Rd #102	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4240
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#### BROADCASTING

Green River Broadcasting	2636 Hwy 95 #10	Bullhead City AZ 86442	(602) 763-5227
Guyann Corp.	343 Hancock Rd	Bullhead City AZ 86442	(602) 763-2100
			(619) 326-5060

MEMBERSHIP CONTINUEDDISTRIBUTORS

Colorado River Dist.	PO Box 1086	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3300
Needles Cold Storage	PO Box 276	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3231
Owensby Dist.	PO Box 735	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3445
Valley Beverage Dist.	PO Box 665	Blythe CA 92226	(619) 922-3821

FLORIST

A Special Touch Florist	1406 Bailey Ave #A	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3930
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FURNITURE

Irene's Furniture	901 Front St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2418
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INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS

Margaret Bemish	PO Box 571	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2009
Herb Bender	1609 Washinton St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3129
Paul/Chris Crow	3637 Escuela	Kingman AZ 86401	(602) 565-2495
John Clark	PO Box 31	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-
Dorothy Hoppe	723 3rd St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2049
Tom Edwards	920 Broadway	Needles CA 92363	
Jim Gwinnup	1205 Cherry Ave	Needles CA 92363	
Steve Jones	3408 River Rd	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-5111
Bernice/John Morris	340 F St	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3377
Bert Powell	PO Box 5850	Mohave Valley AZ 86440	(602) 768-7295
Robert Prochaska	2017 Lily Hill Dr	Needles Ca 92363	(619) 326-4708
Cheryl Roth	PO Box 1967	Studio City CA 91614	(818) 240-9124
Lin Savage	1111 Bailey Ave	Needles CA 92363	
Andre Thornton	PO Box 426	Needles CA 92363	
Bruce Taverner	1917 Peru	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3337
Helen Wilson	PO Box 423	Needles CA 92363	
Ernie Mejia	301 Walnut	Needles CA 92363	

INSURANCE

Farmers Insurance	825 Broadway PO Box 559	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4007
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MAINTENANCE

J's Maintenance Serv	3550 Foothill Blvd	Glendale CA 91214	(800) 339-2097
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MEDICAL

Bullhead Medical Center	1648 Hwy 95	Bullhead City AZ 86442	(602) 763-4646
Bruce Gräff OD	PO Box 308	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2149
Mohave Dental Center	1406 Bailey Ave	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4541
Needles Desert Community Hospital	1401 Bailey Ave	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4531
Needles Medical Center	PO Box 917	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4581

MEMBERSHIP CONTINUED

CAMPGROUNDS/MOBILE PARKS/RECREATION

Green Mansion Mobile Park	900 Coronado	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-5255
Jerkwater Canoe Co.	PO Box 800	Topock AZ 86436	(602) 768-7753
Needles Marina Park	100 Marina Dr.	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2197
Needles KOA	RT 4 Box 175		
	5400 National Tr. Hwy	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-4207
Outback Off-Road Adv. Inc.	2169 Swanson Ave. #4	Lake Havasu City AZ 86403	(602) 680-6151
Park Moabi Reg. Park	Park Moabi Rd.	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3831
Parker DAM Rec. & Park Dist.	PO Box 909	Parker Dam CA 92267	(619) 392-4548 #3357
Rainbo Beach Resort	RT 4 Box 139	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3101
River Road Resort	RT 4 Box 99	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3423
Verde Shores MH Park	530 Beach Dr.		
	PO Box 555	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2672

UTILITIES

Alltel Cable	PO Box 338	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3336
Alltel Telephone	PO Box 338	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-2141
Cable TV of Needles	PO Box 338	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3336
Citizen Utilities	2202 Stockman Rd.	Kingman AZ 86401	(602) 754-4051
So Cal Gas Co	PO Box 336	Needles CA 92363	(619) 326-3876
So Cal Edison Co	505 W 14th St.	Blythe CA 92225	(619) 922-9158
Southwest Gas Corp	PO Box 91120	Henderson NV 89009	(800) 446-4642

## *Restaurants*

**	Arturo's Pizza .....	819 Broadway .....	326-9191
**	Burger King .....	1004 E. Broadway .....	326-5143
**	Carl's Jr. ....	2601 Broadway .....	326-4476
	Chai's Cafe .....	941 Front Street .....	326-3642
	Denny's .....	1400 'J' Street .....	326-2221
	Hui's Chinese .....	2303 W. Broadway .....	326-2742
**	Hungry Bear (The) .....	1906 Broadway .....	326-2988
	Irene's Drive-In .....	Broadway & 'D' Street .....	326-2342
	Jack-In-The-Box .....	221 'J' Street .....	326-4746
**	Kentucky Fried Chicken .....	1804 W. Broadway .....	326-3456
	La Familia .....	109 'F' Street .....	326-3244
	McDonalds .....	1201 Third Street .....	326-5188
**	Overland Cafe .....	710 Broadway .....	326-3268
	Pizza & Pollo .....	1034 E. Broadway .....	326-5995
	Rio Vista Cafe .....	213 Monterey .....	326-3221
**	Rita's Mexican Food .....	1901 W. Broadway .....	326-2266
**	Valenzuela's Cafe .....	244 Chestnut .....	326-2732
	Wagon Wheel (The) .....	2420 Broadway .....	326-4361

## *Motels & Hotels*

	All Star Inn .....	1215 Hospitality Lane .....	326-5131
**	Best Western (Overland) .....	712 Broadway .....	326-3821
**	Chalet Lodge .....	2306 Broadway .....	326-3811
**	Days Inn .....	1111 Pashard .....	326-5660
	Desert Inn .....	625 Broadway .....	326-2186
	Diamond Motel .....	1810 Broadway .....	326-2156
	E-Z Eight Motel .....	1102 Broadway .....	326-4501
	El Rancho Motel .....	1803 Broadway .....	326-2057
**	El Vee Budget 1 Motel .....	511 Broadway .....	326-3613
**	Imperial 400 .....	644 Broadway .....	326-2145
**	Kiva Motel .....	2104 Broadway .....	326-2212
	Le Brun Motel .....	2109 Broadway .....	326-3700
	Motel 6 .....	1420 'J' Street .....	326-4411
**	River Valley Motor Lodge .....	1707 Broadway .....	326-3839
	Royal Palms .....	1910 Broadway .....	326-3881
	Sage Motel .....	1624 W. Broadway .....	326-3200
	66 Motel .....	East Broadway .....	326-3611
**	Stardust Motel .....	2208 Broadway .....	326-4445
**	<b>BEST MOTEL</b> .....	1900 W. Broadway .....	326-3824
**	Western Motel .....	1627 Broadway .....	326-2022
**	TRAVELERS INN .....	1195 3RD ST HILL .....	326-4900
**	COLORADO RIVER INN .....	2371 NEEDLES HWY .....	326-4552

## *RV Parks*

**	Green Mansion Mobile Home Park .....	900 Coronado .....	326-5255
**	Needles KOA Campgrounds .....	5400 Old Trails Hwy. ....	326-4207
**	Needles Marina Park .....	100 Marina Drive .....	326-2197
	North Shore R.V. Resort .....	3408 River Road .....	326-5111
**	Rainbow Beach Resort .....	River Road Rt. 4 Box 139 .....	326-3101
	Sherman Shores Trailer Court .....	Sherman Shores .....	326-2980
**	RIVER ROAD RESORT .....	3396 RIVER RD, RT 4 Box 99 .....	326-3423



# STATEMENT OF DAVID PETRIK

David Petrik hereby states as follows:

I have petitioned the FCC to allot new FM Channel 280B to Needles, California, instead of allotting that channel to Essex, California. The Comments filed on behalf also pointed out that Essex is not really a community, so that a channel should not be allotted there in any event.

I recently have confirmed that Essex is not a "community" which should be allotted a channel, by personally visiting the area in question on Saturday, November 7, 1992. I observed that the location called Essex (beyond a highway sign which announced a population of 100 persons) had one combined cafe-gas station-towing service-junkyard, two additional towing services, a 10' x 15' Post Office building, a garage holding state highway maintenance vehicles and a small school building. Except for a mountain to the southeast, the surrounding area is flat ground which allowed me to see several miles in all directions. I saw no homes except for a five house compound near the state garage, and perhaps three other houses located elsewhere among the surrounding brush, rocks and cactus.

I observed no building, sign or other evidence of any local government or local official, a police or fire department, a commercial or cultural center, a civic or social organization, or of a church or other religious or secular meeting place. I saw absolutely no indication that the area designated as Essex has any social, economic, cultural or civic activities which would define a community needing its own local radio station.

I affirm that the above statement is true and correct under penalty of perjury. Executed this eleventh day of November, 1992.

By

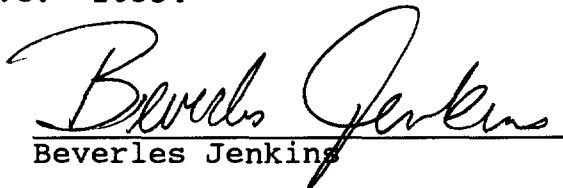
David Petrik

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Beverles Jenkins, a secretary in the law firm of Brown, Nietert & Kaufman, Chartered, do hereby certify that on this 16th day of November, 1992, I caused a true copy of the foregoing "Reply Comments" to be sent via U.S. Mail, postage pre-paid to the persons listed below:

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